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| AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER   |                                  |                                 |                             | Docket No.<br>0649-0769P |      |
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| Application No.<br>09/765,670  |                                  | Filing Date<br>January 22, 2001 |                             | Examiner<br>C. H. A. Lee |      |
|  |                                  |                                 |                             | Art Unit<br>2663         |      |
| Applicant(s): Shu MURAYAMA et al.  |                                  |                                 |                             |                          |      |
| Invention: MEDIA DATA CODING AND MULTIPLEXING APPARATUS, MEDIA DATA CODING AND MULTIPLEXING SYSTEM, AND MEDIA DATA CODING AND MULTIPLEXING METHOD  |                                  |                                 |                             |                          |      |
| <b>MS Amendment</b><br>Commissioner for Patents<br>P.O. Box 1450<br>Alexandria, VA 22313-1450  |                                  |                                 |                             |                          |      |
| Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.  |                                  |                                 |                             |                          |      |
| The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.   |                                  |                                 |                             |                          |      |
| <b>CLAIMS AS AMENDED</b>   |                                  |                                 |                             |                          |      |
|  | Claims Remaining After Amendment | Highest Number Previously Paid  | Number Extra Claims Present | Rate                     |      |
| Total Claims   | 14                               | - 20 =                          |                             | x                        |      |
| Independent Claims   | 3                                | - 3 =                           |                             | x                        |      |
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|  |                                  |                                 |                             | Dated: June 21, 2005     |      |
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MULTIPLEXING METHOD

**REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Date: June 21, 2005

Sir:

In reply to the Examiner's Non-Final Office Action dated March 21, 2005, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper; and

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.